

METHOD, SYSTEM, AND PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING  
RETENTION POLICIES TO ARCHIVE RECORDS

ABSTRACT

Provided are a method, system, and program for receiving a request to remove a record. A determination is made as to whether a state associated with the record includes at least one hold state and whether the state associated with the record includes at least a retention period that has not expired. The request to remove the record is denied in response to determining that the state associated with the record includes at least one of at least one hold state and one retention period that has not expired.